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John O. Downey, Vice President
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Dear Mr. Weisberg:

I have studied your letter of August 14, and while you present some interesting arguments, I do not feel that WCAU Radio should be made an exclusive forum for discussion of the President Kennedy Assassination.

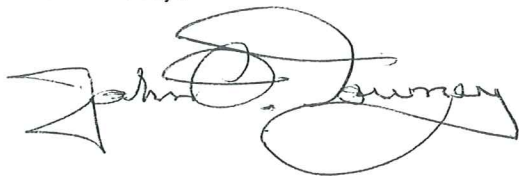
We have, in my opinion, fairly presented all sides of the case, your's included.

Hundreds of hours have been presented over radio and television stations across the land, exposing both supporters and dissenters of the Warren Report.

We feel that they have reached a saturation point and that no useful purpose is served by them, since they usually develop into a "talk over" harangue.

Unless new evidence in the case is unfolded, I can find no validity in your request for time on the Talk of Philadelphia Program.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in dark ink, appearing to read "John O. Downey". The signature is stylized with large, flowing loops and a prominent initial "J".

Mr. Harold Weisberg
Coq d'Or Press
Hyattstown, Maryland 20734

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August 23, 1967